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CITY COUNCIL HOLD A SHORT MEETING

Consider a Few Petitions and Order Bills Paid ---Picture House License Causes An Argument

The regular meeting of the city council was held on Thursday evening with Mayor Adams presiding and the following members present: Blaisdell, Leary, Smart, Payne, Eastman, Newick, Brewster, Boynton.

The meeting was called for 7.30 but it was 7.45 before the members had gathered.

The records of the last meeting were read and approved. Petition of the New England telephone company for pole location on Park street referred to the inspector of wires. Rockingham County Light and Power Co., for pole location on High street, want four poles locations which would do away with two poles. Referred to committee on lights with power.

Petition of Italian residents for better lighting Russell and Wall

streets. Referred to committee on light with power.

The report of the Board of Fire Engineers on the petition of Annie Martin for a moving picture license in the Clark building was favorable. The board said that they had inspected the building and if the owners would put in a fire escape in the rear with a door leading to the same that the building could be emptied of the 130 people, its seating capacity in ten minutes. That the stairway was too narrow for the ordinance but they thought it safe. They recommended that the petition be granted.

The report was accepted and Councilman Boynton moved that as the stairway was not as wide as required by the ordinance the petition be denied. This motion was not seconded and Councilman Eastman

moved that the petition be granted and this was seconded.

Councilman Boynton arose to a point of order, on the ground that the city council had not right to grant the petition if the building requirement did not agree with the ordinance.

Mayor Adams ruled that the point of order was not well taken, that the petition was before the council for some action and must be disposed of.

The petition was then granted, but the city clerk was not empowered to issue the license in the behalf of the council.

Councilman Boynton still maintained that the council had not the right to grant the petition and claimed that if a complaint was made the picture show must be closed as not complying with the ordinance and left it with a parting shot that he did not know but what it would be closed.

The claim of Thomas E. Rider for damage to his property on Summer street through fault of the city sewer amount of \$32 was referred to the committee on claims.

Mayor Adams appointed W. A. Grover, city engineer and the appointment was confirmed by the council.

Mayor Adams reported that the brown tail moth contract had been awarded to the next lowest bidder when Mr. Richie Buchanan did not

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KITTERY LETTER

Browntail Fighters Begin Work

Young Folks Gave a church Sale

Sunday School Convention and Good Templar Officers

Mrs. Daniel B. Cook is to Undergo More Surgical Treatment

Kittery, Me., Jan. 29.

Mrs. Daniel B. Cook has undergone an X-ray examination at the Cushing Hospital and it is deemed best to perform another operation on her on Saturday next. She has the sympathy and best wishes of a host of friends.

Mrs. Bert Moore of Williams avenue is entertaining her sister, Miss Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bowden are confined to their home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clark were recent visitors in Portsmouth.

Mr. Dana Philbrick started in today to work for the town, destroying the browntail moth nests.

Mr. John Ryan, who has been so seriously ill, is a little more comfortable today.

At a business meeting held in the Second Methodist church on Wednesday by the Kittery, Eliot and York Sunday School Association, the following officers were elected: President, Rev. Daniel Onstott; first vice president, Alexander Bennett; second vice president, Rev. A. J. Crofts; third vice president, Wallace Dixon; secretary, Rev. E. H. Pitts; treasurer, Mr. E. Nowell.

Mr. Waldo W. Ladd has secured a position with the Boston electric road company and has gone there.

Mrs. Carrie Fernald of Portsmouth was the guest of her cousin, Charles W. Adams of the Rogers road, on Wednesday.

At the meeting of Whipple Lodge of Good Templars on Wednesday evening the following officers were elected: Chief templar, Frank E. Donnell; vice templar, Lucy M. Burnham; superintendent juvenile templary, Nellie F. Meyers; chaplain, Louise E. Donnell; recording secretary, Lillian F. Goodrich; financial secretary, Fannie Y. Fernald; treasurer, Lucinda A. Hayes; marshal, S. Augustus Jackson; deputy marshal, Cora B. Prince; guard, Florence Wendall; past chief templar, Walter B. Donnell; trustees, Frank E. Donnell, S. Augustus Jackson, Mark E. Fernald; lodge deputy, Charles A. Meyer.

Golden Rule degree staff of Dirigo Encampment will meet at Odd Fellows' Hall this evening at 7.30.

Mrs. Leon Robbins of Central street is visiting friends in Whitman, Mass., for a few weeks.

Mrs. John R. Wentworth is con-

fining to her home on Jones avenue by an attack of rheumatism.

Thursday evening a sale and entertainment for the coal fund of the Second Christian church was given in the vestry by the Junior League of Christian Endeavor. Refreshments were served free after which the following program was given:

Piano solo, Gladys Spinney
Recitation, Ruby Wendall
Vocal solo, Arthur Lane
Piano solo, Ruth Abrams
Vocal duet,

Helen Kramer and Maud Robinson
Recitation, Hattie Emery
Piano solo, Sybil Spencer
Exercise, Members of Junior League
Reading, Rachel Curtis
Piano solo, Mrs. Fred Patch

Great credit should be given Miss Estella Kramer, who worked hard to make the evening a success.

Kittery Point

Miss Mildred F. Coes will spend the week end at Bradford Academy, Bradford, Mass.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Free Baptist church met Thursday night at the home of Mrs. V. H. Goodwin. A large crowd was in attendance.

The K. F. G. Fancywork Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Thurston Patch. Hot chocolate and cake were served.

Miss Frances Glidden is visiting relatives and friends for a few weeks in Mystic, Conn., and Painfield, N. J.

Miss Alma Thomas, a summer resident of this place, is teaching a school in Greenwich Village, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. William Upton on Thursday returned to their home in Limerick, after visiting relatives in town for a week.

EVENTS OF ELIOT

Spinney Won from Brooks in Checkers Match

Thirty-Five Grangers Had a Sleigh Ride to Rollinsford

Eliot, Me., Jan. 29.

Master Charles H. Gale and thirty-four other members of John F. Hill Grange took a sleighride to Rollinsford on Thursday evening and witnessed work in the fourth degree and the installation of officers of Rollinsford Grange. Half a dozen grangers were represented in the visitors, the literary entertainment was good, the orator stew was excellent and the sleighriding was fun.

Forrest Spinney and Frank Brooks on Thursday evening played their matched series of checker games in the clubroom over H. E. Spinney's store.

Mr. Spinney won four games and Mr. Brooks one. The winner issued a general challenge to all the checker players in Eliot.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. McKenney are to move into the north half of Dr. J. L. M. Willis' double house on Pleasant street near the Advent church.

Mon. Payson Smith of Augusta, late superintendent of public schools, will lecture at the South Eliot Methodist church tonight in the Eliot History Club's course. His topic is "Practical Education."

U. S. WEATHER PREDICTION

Friday night and Saturday—Snow or rain followed by cold, clearing weather. The storm which is sweeping eastward is expected to reach southern New England this evening.

SELECTMAN SCALDED

Brentwood, Jan. 29.—Selectman G. Russell Rowe was badly burned on the side of his face and neck by the rushing steam from the engine where he was at work, and required the services of a physician.

MCKINLEY'S BIRTHDAY

Today is McKinley's birthday and his favorite flower, the pink, is generally worn. Col. Leslie Norman and Ezra Towle were the only local people who carried out the custom.

PORTSMOUTH MEASURES BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE

Text of Bills Relating to Old Ladies' Home and the Smelt Fisheries

Week closed with a Session for the Routine Business Th's Morning

Concord, Jan. 29.—The legislature transacted only routine business at the sessions this morning and then adjourned to Monday evening.

The Rockingham county delegation went to Brentwood to visit the county farm.

Thursday Afternoon in House

Locke of Hinsdale gave notice that on Tuesday he would move to reconsider the vote whereby H. B. 153 relating to the age of consent was killed.

Belanger of Manchester moved that H. B. 304 and H. B. 325 be taken from railroads and referred to the committee on judiciary. Carried.

One refers to fares on the Manchester Street Railway and the other to street sprinkling by street railways.

On motion of Hill of Concord H. B. 309 for the exemption from taxation of the property of the Laconia Hospital association was sent from ways and means to judiciary.

Wagner of Manchester gave notice that on Tuesday next he would offer a resolution that 24 hours elapse between the report of a bill from committee and its third reading.

On motion of French of Moultonborough the clerk was instructed to procure 500 printed copies of a detailed statement of state expenditures submitted by the state treasurer to the committee on appropriations.

Senate Thursday

President Lord called the senate to order at eleven o'clock, the usual hour.

On motion of Senator Calley the reading of the journal was dispensed with.

This committee report was received.

Judiciary—Senate bill No. 8. An act relating to the use of highways by certain vehicles. Favorable. Tabled for printing.

Bills forwarded were:

Senate bill No. 9. An act in amendment of an act passed at the January 1907 session, entitled "An act in reference to pawnbrokers." To a third reading.

Senate bill No. 11. An act relating to scholars. To a third reading.

Senator Entwistle was given permission upon request to introduce this bill: An act regulating the use of cinematographs and other similar apparatus. Referred to the Judiciary committee after two readings.

A message was received from the bills:

H. B. No. 211. An act amending section 19, chapter 149, Public Statutes, relating to dividend paying corporations. To Judiciary committee.

H. B. No. 30. An act to legalize and confirm the vote at warrant for and proceedings at the biennial election in South Hampton in November, 1908. To judiciary.

H. B. No. 65. An act in amendment of section two, chapter 192, session laws of 1902, relating to the election of representatives to the general court. To judiciary.

H. B. No. 21. An act incorporating Oak Hill Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 97, of Manchester. On motion of Senator Hurd this bill was put upon its third reading and final passage without reference to committee.

Education. H. B. 23 to establish the Penacook Union District. Ought pass. To a third reading.

Same. H. B. 141 to annex the homestead of Horace B. Annis to the Union School district of the city of Concord. Ought to pass. To a third reading.

Judiciary. H. B. 150 allowing administrators of estates actually solvent to place money in trust for the

care of the grave of the testator or interstate. Ought to pass in a new draft. New draft read twice and tabled to print.

Fisheries and game. An act in amendment of chap. 79, laws of 1901, as amended by the session laws of 1903, 1905 and 1907 relating to fish and game. New Bill. Ought to pass. Read twice and tabled to print.

Salaries of fish and game commissioners to be paid from fines for violation of fish and game laws.

This bill is a revision of the fish and game laws on many points as recommended by the commission.

Same H. B. 35 to amend chap. 84, laws of 1907, protecting clams. Ought to pass. To third reading.

Same H. B. 36, regulating the use of purse seines in the waters of the Atlantic ocean. Ought to pass. To a third reading.

Same H. B. 37 to protect domestic pigeons or doves. Ought to pass. To a third reading.

Ways and means. H. B. 113 to exempt the trustees of the Home for Indigent Women from taxation. To judiciary.

Same. H. B. 140, authorizing the exemption from taxation of the property of the Orford Social Library. To judiciary.

An act to incorporate the Woodstock & Thornton Gore Railroad was recommended to the company on railroads on motion of Woodbury. Of Woodstock for further hearing.

On motion of Senator Emery the senate adjourned.

At the afternoon session of the House Bill No. 35 for the protection of clams was passed.

Bill No. 36 regulating of purse seining was also passed.

Bill No. 35 for the protection of clams was passed and the following other bills No's. 37, 74, 141, 23, 73, 145, 231, 78, 196, 87, 138 and 221.

There will be a short session this morning.

COPIES OF BILLS

An Act to Exempt the Trustees of the Home for Indigent Women from Taxation

Introduced by Representative Philbrick of Portsmouth:

Section 1. The trustees of the Home for Indigent Women, of Portsmouth, being a charitable institution, without profit to any person, the property thereof shall be exempt from taxation.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

An Act for the Protection of Smelt in Piscataqua River

Introduced by Representative Philbrick of Portsmouth:

Section 1. No person shall at any time of the year, take or catch, with a seine, weir, or net, any of the fish called smelt in the waters or tributaries of Piscataqua river.

Section 2. If any person shall violate the provisions of the preceding section, on conviction, he shall be fined not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50) for each offence, provided, however, that nothing in said section shall prevent the use of seines or nets for taking herring, the meshes of which are sufficiently large to permit the free egress and ingress of the before mentioned fish called smelt.

Section 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed and this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Notes About the State House

There are some freak bills in the house committees at Concord at the

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ECHOES OF OUR GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

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| Bleached Roller Crash | 4c yd |
| Yard Wide Bleached Cotton | 5c yd |
| Flannelettes for wrappers and waists, 10c goods | 6 1-4c |
| Regular 8c Outing Flannels | 6 1-4c and 7c |
| Unbleached Domest Flannel | 5c yd |
| 40 inch Lawn, 15c quality | 10c yd |
| White Waists, stripes, figured and P. K. 15 and 17c quality | 12 1-2c |
| Table Damask, special values at | 49c, and 62c yd |
| \$1.50 Table Napkins, at | 1.19 a doz |
| Linen Finish Waisting, 15c quality | 10c yd |

IN THE BASEMENT

Annual Sale of Kitchen Goods This Week. Some of the offerings

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| Regular size Japanese Coal-Hod, worth 25c and 5c Stove Shovel, both for | 19c |
| Galvanized Chamber Pails, worth 45c | 33c |
| Wire Soap Shakers | 3c |
| 50c and 65c Blue Enamelled Tea and Coffee Pots | 39c |
| Salts and Peppers, odd lbs., worth 5c and 10c each | 2c ea |
| Glass Open Salts | 1c |
| Aluminum Salts and Peppers, loaded bottoms, worth 15c each | 9c |
| Heavy Tin Wash Boilers, full size, regular price 1.00 | 89c |
| Nickel Plate Tea Kettles, large size, regular price 1.00, for this sale | 59c |
| Heavy Copper Kettle, Nickel Plated, No. 8 size, worth 1.25, at this sale | 95c |
| Gray Berlin Kettles, large size, worth 50c | 25c |
| Gray Enamel Wash Basins | 10c |
| Gray Enamelled Sauce Pots | 25c |
| Blue Enamelled Rice Boilers, 6 qt. size, worth 1.50 | 79c |
| Gray Lipped Sauce Pans, 45c value | 25c |
| Enamelled Tea and Coffee Pots, our best grade, 75c value | 59c |
| Nickel Plated Tea and Coffee Pots, 3 sizes, regular price 50 cents, for this sale | 33c ea |
| Alarm Clocks, 1.00 value | 75c |
| Good Brooms at | 24c ea |
| Gilray Curtain Dryers | 1.39 |
| Toilet Paper, put up expressly for us, regular 5c size package, for this sale 8 packages for | 25c |
| Toilet Paper, full size 10c packages, for this sale 4 packages for | 25c |
| Enamelled Dredgers, tin covers | 8c |

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people's sayings:--

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TARIFF REVISION A SURE THING

Washington, Jan. 28.—Hope for tariff reformers who want the tariff lowered was given in a speech in the House Thursday by Perkins of New York, though Mr. Perkins may have been buoyed by hope himself, as he is an original downward revisionist and insistent in his declaration that the Republican party pledges must be kept.

The remarks of Mr. Perkins may also have been a diplomatic notice to the majority of the ways and means committee that there were men on their side of the House who would stand only for one kind of a tariff bill that being one that lowered the tariff.

"Everything comes to him who waits, and tariff revision is at last undertaken," said Mr. Perkins. "It is not only undertaken, but it is undertaken, I think, with an understanding that the new tariff bill will not be an evasion of party pledges, but wisely to readjust our revenue laws to change commercial conditions. It has sometimes been suggested that tariff revision might mean a revision up. If any one ever entertained such a hope or such a purpose, it has now been dispelled, and so far as there is a revision, it will be a revision downward.

"No country on the earth can compare with us as a manufacturing nation. We have great natural resources and great inventive talent and unequalled manual labor. By a natural process we have become the greatest of manufacturing nations. We have 80,000,000 of people, and we have potential facilities of production that would furnish the articles of use and desire to 300,000,000 of people. We cannot continue a great commercial nation unless we can sell in foreign markets as well as home markets, and to increase our present hold on the world's markets, to obtain a hold upon new markets, we must compete with the rest of the world.

"The cost of a manufactured article, roughly speaking, depends upon two things—the cost of the material in order to turn it into the cost of the labor bestowed upon the material in order to turn it into the manufactured product. Our prosperity rests on well paid labor yet there is no doubt that the great efficiency of the intelligent American laborer, when compared with that of other countries, makes the relative cost of production to American employer when compared with foreign production, less than is sometimes supposed.

"The lead, the coal and the iron that are taken from our mines are

consumed, and by so much the resources of the country are forever diminished. It is surely the part of wisdom to allow other countries, so far as they are willing, to furnish from their own natural resources the materials which we use for our industrial achievements. Every ton of iron and lead which is left in our own mines will be as safe as if it was in a bank.

"The duty on leather seems to be particularly defensible. Of hardly any other material can it be said that the increased cost falls on the buyer and the benefit is reaped by the seller. The greater part of the leather used in this country belongs to a few rich men or a few rich corporations."

FOREST RESERVATION BILL REPORTED FAVORABLE.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Hope for the passage of the Weeks forest reservation bill is based largely on the character of the bill, which, while intended especially in the interest of the proposed Appalachia and White Mountain reservations, is still general in its character. It was the applicability of the bill to all sections of the country and its harmonizing with the basic ideas of the recent conservation congress that made it possible to get the measure out of the committee.

Another feature of the bill, which it is believed will appeal strongly to the members of both houses, is the fact that it does not provide for the appropriation of a single million from the general revenues of the government.

The Weeks bill provides that the reserves shall be purchased from monies received from the sale or disposal of any products or the use of lands or resources from the public lands now or hereafter set aside as national forests. In other words, it is planned to have the forests reserves of the country so managed as to purchase more forest reserves.

The bill provides that the money derived from the national forests shall be reserved in the United States treasury as a special fund to be known as the national forest reservation fund, "to be used in the examination, survey and acquisition of lands located on the head waters of navigable streams or those which are being or which may be developed for navigable purposes."

While the bill is general in scope it is acknowledged, however, that the lands in the White mountains and the Appalachian slopes of the South would be the first bought.

DOVER WON ON HOME ALLEYS

Portsmouth Team Defeated in The Up River Town

The Portsmouth bowling team was defeated by the Dover team in the fourth of a series of matches in Dover on Thursday evening.

The following were the scores:

| DOVER | | | |
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| Rutherford | 88 | 102 | 89 |
| Alford | 108 | 94 | 106 |
| Nelsonson | 89 | 95 | 77 |
| Bonders | 79 | 91 | 78 |
| Newton | 93 | 101 | 81 |
| | | | 1041 |

PORTSMOUTH

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| Billon | 88 | 98 | 87 |
| Wilson | 75 | 76 | 78 |
| Wichard | 83 | 95 | 81 |
| Young | 99 | 82 | 81 |
| Conroy | 99 | 85 | 96 |
| | | | 1205 |

PHILBRICK PHAR., Portsmouth, Weeks & Seward, Exeter.

CITY COUNCIL HOLD A SHORT MEETING

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qually. He also reported that he had appointed J. Alfred Weston as inspector.

The auditors report of bills amounting to \$3,346.53 were read and approved, with the exception of one for the bond of the tax collector over which there was some question as to the amount of the premium to be paid the agent. It was left to the Mayor with power.

The February pay roll was read and the Mayor authorized to draw his warrant for the same.

Adjourned for two weeks to meet at 7:30.

THE REGULARS WON

Clerks at the Navy Yard Have A Bowling Match

The regular clerks bowling team at the Navy Yard defeated the Yarnigans on Thursday evening at the Arcade alleys. The regulars gave the Yarnigans six plus handicap.

| REGULARS | | | |
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| Gord | 71 | 72 | 83 |
| Robinson | 81 | 91 | 80 |
| Kelley | 82 | 103 | 76 |
| Flanagan | 84 | 78 | 67 |
| Rowe | 79 | 109 | 83 |
| | | | 1251 |

YARNIGANS

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|---------|----|----|------|
| Conner | 59 | 89 | 94 |
| Brooks | 67 | 73 | 94 |
| Chesley | 89 | 76 | 79 |
| Hett | 82 | 72 | 71 |
| Paul | 68 | 68 | 85 |
| | | | 1129 |

NAVY ORDERS

Lieutenant Commander F. N. Freeman, Mare Island to home and leave one month.

Ensign G. O. Carter, temporary duty commanding the Stockton.

Ensign J. M. Newton, Jr., temporary duty commanding the Shubert.

Ensign A. S. Wadsworth, Jr., temporary duty commanding the Porter.

W. P. Sedgwick, appointed ensign.

Passed Assistant Surgeon H. A. May, to United States Pacific fleet, sailing about Feb. 5.

Passed Assistant Surgeon E. H. H. Old, to temporary duty, navy yard, Washington, and additional duty on the Mayflower.

Acting Assistant Surgeon G. E. Thomas, naval hospital, Norfolk.

Commander H. Robinson, to naval station, Norfolk.

Passed Assistant Paymaster W. B. Sharp, the Relief to the Mare-

Island and Monterey.

Assistant Paymaster E. R. Wilson, the Monmouth and Monterey to home.

Surgeon C. F. Stokes, report to surgeon general, navy department, Washington, D. C., for special temporary duty in connection with hospital ships.

Assistant Surgeon O. V. Huffman, discharged treatment Naval Medical School Hospital, Washington, D. C., and granted sick leave three months; resignation as an assistant surgeon in the navy accepted to take effect April 26, 1909.

Boatswain T. Macklin, from the Franklin, navy yard, Norfolk, Va., to the Nevada.

Boatswain C. C. Brash, from the Southern to the naval hospital, Portsmouth, N. H., for treatment.

Chief Gunner W. H. Walker discharged treatment naval hospital, Mare Island, Cal., to the naval hospital, Las Animas, Colo., for treatment.

Warrant Machinist P. J. Haulon, discharged treatment naval hospital, Mare Island, Cal., to the St. Louis.

Arrived—Oscoda at Mobile Culgoa at Marseilles, Nero at Charleston, S. C., West Virginia, Colorado Maryland, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, South Dakota California and Washington at Callao, Prairie at Honolulu, Salem at Charleston, Whipple and Hall at Mare Island, collier Hannibal at Philadelphia.

Sailed—Tacoma, San Juan for Guantanamo; Connecticut, Kansas, Minnesota, Vermont and Yankton, Villefranche for Gibraltar; Rainbow, Zambanga for Cavite; Marietta, Portsmouth, N. H., for Guantanamo; Caesar, Indian Head for Norfolk; Celtic, Messina for Catania and Naples; Apache, New York for Newport; Rhode Island and New Jersey, Marseilles for Gibraltar; Georgia and Nebraska, Marseilles for Tangier.

The navy department failed in its efforts to have the scout cruiser Birmingham go to Havana in order to take Gov. Magoon and suite to Knights Key, Fla., after the establishment of the new Cuban republic. The scout Salem, originally assigned to that mission, had trouble with its boilers and was compelled to put into Charleston, S. C., for repairs. Efforts were then made to communicate by wireless telegraph with the Birmingham off the southern coast, but they failed, and the vessel put into Mobile on Thursday. It being impossible for her to reach Havana in time, orders were sent to Rear Admiral Arnold to place either the flag ship Maine or the battleship Mississippi, at Havana, at the disposal of Gov. Magoon for the sea trip to the railroad terminus at Knights Key.

Secretary Newberry has written a letter to F. C. A. Jennings, seaman on the U. S. S. Arctus, complimenting him for his gallantry in jumping overboard and assisting in the rescue of human life on the occasion of the fire at the navy yard, Mare Island, Cal., Sept. 18 last, following an explosion of floating gasoline.

ANNOUNCEMENT!



A representative of the Kickapoo Indian Medicine Company and the famous Kickapoo Chief "Red Cloud" will meet the Portsmouth public at my store, beginning Monday, February 1st.

The Kickapoo Indian Medicine Company believes that you should never take any medicine unless you know exactly what is in it; consequently they publish on each package of their remedies everything there is in it, in order that you may know exactly what you are taking. Whenever you take Kickapoo Sagwa or Kickapoo Liver Pills or Kickapoo Cough Cure, or give your child Kickapoo Worm Killer, or use Kickapoo Oil, you have only to read the formula on the package to know exactly what the remedy contains.

The Kickapoo Remedies have a phenomenal sale in all English speaking countries in the world.

For the next two weeks, beginning Monday, February 1st the representative of the Kickapoo Indian Medicine Company will explain their preparations to all who wish to know about them, from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. at my store.

We personally guarantee the Kickapoo Remedies to give entire satisfaction, or we will promptly return the amount of the purchasing price.

The Kickapoo Indian Medicine Company believes that a large part of the ill health of highly civilized nations is caused by disorders of the stomach and liver, and therefore recommends Sagwa, which is a vegetable medicine prepared especially for stomach and liver disorders, and composed of extracts of herbs, roots, barks, gums and leaves gathered by the Indians, who rely upon these plants and herbs for their native condition of perfect health.

If you wish to test Kickapoo Sagwa, the representative of the Company will give you a trial bottle free of charge, if you will call on him, within the next few days, at my store.

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SEASON OF 1908-9

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WITH THE THEATRICAL FOLK.



Frances Gordon as "Mary" in "George M. Cohen's" "25, Minutes" 100 Broadway.

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LICE REPORT

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CUT IN FREIGHT RATES

Action of Boston and Maine Promises
to Precipitate a General War

Baltimore, Jan. 29.—Officials of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad refuse to concur upon the action of the Boston and Maine railroad in notifying the interstate commerce commission that it will insist on a freight rate of 67 cents per 100 pounds from Boston to the west, the same as from Baltimore.

Opinion in local railroad and shipping circles is that the action of the Boston and Maine leaves no avenue for escape from a great freight rate war.

There is little doubt that the Baltimore and Ohio will lower its tariff to meet the cut of the Boston and Maine. This, it is expected, will be followed by similar action by the Philadelphia and New York lines, and later by those in Canada and roads centering at New Orleans.

ROBINSON'S AFFIDAVIT

It May Open the Way For Jerome to
Prosecute New York World

New York, Jan. 29.—Uncertainty as to what action would be taken on the recent suggestion made by District Attorney Jerome in the case of the government's suit against the New York World for libel, that the federal authorities suspend their activities and permit him to proceed in their stead, has been in a measure removed by the signing of an affidavit by Douglas Robinson, brother-in-law of President Roosevelt.

It is believed that Robinson's signing of the affidavit in question means that he has accepted Jerome's proposal to appear as a complaining witness against The World, and that the grand jury of the county of New York is preparing to take the matter in hand.

INCREASED WAGES FOR RAILWAY MEN

New Scale For Employees of
the Boston and Northern

Boston, Jan. 29.—Seventeen hundred employees of the Boston and Northern Street Railway company will receive increased wages under the decision of the arbitrators appointed to adjust the differences between the company and its employees.

Under the new scale, which will go into effect on Jan. 31 and remain in operation until Oct. 1, 1910, the men will receive 21 cents an hour during the first year of employment, 22 cents for the second year, 23 cents for the next three years, 24 cents for the next two, and 25 cents thereafter. Under the old scale the wages ranged from 20 to 25 cents and the increases were not so frequent.

FOREST BILL REPORTED

Limits Expenditure to Million Dol-
lars During Coming Fiscal Year

Washington, Jan. 29.—Before finally reporting the Weeks bill, looking to the establishment of forest reserves in the White mountains and the Appalachian mountains, the house committee on agriculture placed a limitation on the amount of money that may be expended under the bill.

The bill, as finally agreed upon, provides that not more than \$1,000,000 shall be expended during the coming fiscal year for the purchase of land for reserves, and not more than \$2,000,000 in any subsequent year. The life of the proposed law is fixed at ten years.

SPITBALL FOR YALE

Ed Walsh, the White Sox Pitcher,
Begins Coaching at New Haven

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 29.—Big Ed Walsh, the crack pitcher of the Chicago Americans, known as the premier spit ball artist of the country, began today coaching the pitching squad of the Yale baseball team.

There is plenty of material at Yale, and Walsh will spend the next two weeks looking it over before setting the men to work in the cage. He expects to remain at the university several weeks.

Judges at White House Dinner
Washington, Jan. 29.—Supreme court dignity and stateliness, accompanied by decorative beauty and conversational vivacity, gave the dinner at the White House last night, in honor of the highest judicial body in the United States, a distinction which is possessed by none of the other annual dinners at the executive mansion.

Shippers Get Money Back
Washington, Jan. 29.—The largest specific allowance of separation ever ordered by the interstate commerce commission was made when that body approved a settlement agreement of \$165,000 in satisfaction of the claims on account of the unreasonable rates on lumber shipped from southern mills.

Mrs. Burns Sent to Prison
Norwich, Conn., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Addie Burns of New London, who had been on trial on charges growing out of the enticement into a resort kept by her of a young girl, was convicted and sentenced to state prison for not less than twelve or more than twenty years.

ROOSEVELT HAS THE FILES

Tennessee Iron Evidence Will
Come From Witnesses

PUT UP TO CULBERSON

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Department Cannot Furnish Data Concerning the Merger—Attorney General Says His Department Is Always Ready to Prosecute Violation of Law by Any Corporation

Washington, Jan. 29.—Realizing the utility of asking President Roosevelt to send them what data he has regarding the merger of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, the senate committee conducting the investigation will depend upon witnesses from New York to supply evidence.

Senator Culberson's colleagues on the special committee of the Senate judiciary committee have thrown upon him the responsibility for bringing out evidence relating to the merger with the United States Steel company. It is understood that in addition to George W. Perkins of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., Oakleigh Thorne, president of the Trust Company of America, also will come from New York and go before the committee.

If it is denied that he has been subpoenaed, and it is believed that his appearance will be voluntary and will follow a communication which he sent to Culberson, giving many details of the ownership of stock of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company prior to its sale to the steel corporation in November last.

Roosevelt Has Files
Secretary Straus of the department of commerce and labor has been asked to furnish to the committee the data concerning the merger which was obtained by Commissioner Smith of the bureau of corporations, and the reply has been received that the files are now in possession of President Roosevelt, to whom the request should be directed.

The committee has told Mr. Culberson that any witness desired by him would be summoned. Mr. Perkins will be heard today before the sub-committee and such members of the full committee as care to attend. Thorne will be heard on Monday. All the sessions of the committee will be executive.

The department of justice made public the documents and correspondence relating to the pending inquiry before the committee on the judiciary of the senate with respect to the alleged merger.

They include a letter from Senator Clark to the attorney general, dated Jan. 16, inviting him to appear before the committee and submit any matter he may see fit.

To this the attorney general replied that he could not be present, but closes with a statement that the department of justice has always been ready to prosecute the United States Steel Corporation or any other corporation or individual for anything which did constitute a violation of the law as understood by the department.

MURDER SUSPECT CAUGHT

Charged With Killing of Aged Farm-
er and His Wife

Chester, Pa., Jan. 29.—Joseph H. Chogwaskie, a Pole, was arrested in this city, charged with the murder of Henry James and wife, the aged couple whose bodies were found horribly mutilated in the barnyard of their farm near Berwin.

Chogwaskie, who formerly was employed on the James farm, was taken into custody in a Polish settlement. He denied knowledge of the crime and even went so far as to deny ever having worked for the James. There were blood spots on Chogwaskie's shoes.

CURE FOR TUBERCULOSIS

Man Who First Discovers It May
Receive a Reward of \$50,000

Harrisburg, Jan. 29.—A bill introduced in the lower house of the legislature provides for the payment by the state of \$50,000 as a reward to the man who first succeeds in discovering a cure for tuberculosis. The act specifies that the cure must be as effective as is the anti-toxin now administered in cases of diphtheria.

Charles Taft's Strong Denial
Washington, Jan. 29.—Charles P. Taft has entered a vigorous denial of the charges of Representative Rainey that he was in any way identified with the Panama canal purchase. Taft declares as unfounded the statements associating him with the transaction.

Driscoll Defeats Mario
New York, Jan. 29.—Jim Driscoll, featherweight champion of England, defeated Johnny Mario of this city in ten fast rounds. The fight went the limit, but throughout the Englishman had decidedly the better of it.

Chinese Emperor in Good Health
Peking, Jan. 29.—Emperor Hsuan-Tung, concerning whose death and serious illness reports have been current, is stated officially to be in good health.

EVANS GIVES HIS VIEWS

Navy Cannot Be Efficient While
Conducted on Bureau System

Canton, O., Jan. 29.—Rear Admiral Evans, in an interview called out by a Washington dispatch which told of the letter of the president to members of the naval investigating committee, of which Evans is a member, declared with emphasis that there is much need of reformation in the conduct of United States naval affairs, for bettering the service and putting it on a more economical basis.

"I am opposed to the bureau system," he said. "No department conducted along bureaucratic lines, conducted by men who too frequently know little about battleships and fleets; conducted often as a mere system of correspondence and ponderous conference, can make for an efficient navy."

TWO JURORS DISMISSED

Intoxication and Bias Charged
Against Leigh and Jackson

Nashville, Jan. 29.—With the jury numbering two less than it did five days ago, the ninth day of the trial of Duncan B. Cooper, Robin Cooper and John Sharpe, accused of the murder of E. W. Carmack, ended with every prospect of a further depletion.

The court excused Jurors Leigh and Jackson, charged with intoxication and bias, and intimated that Juror Whitworth would be excused. Two physicians signed certificates that if Whitworth remains in the jury box his life may be forfeited.

The new venire of 500 men will appear today and an effort will be made to get from them the remainder of the jury.

COUNTRY'S BEST SKATERS IN MEET

International Championships In
Pittsburg Tonight

Pittsburg, Jan. 29.—Tonight and tomorrow night the best amateur skaters of the United States and Canada will contest in Duquesne Gardens in this city, the largest indoor skating course in America, for the championship of the two countries.



EDMUND LAMY

Chief among the entries is Edmund Lamy, the eighteen-year-old wonder on runners who is the greatest amateur champion. He is frequently called "the Saranac lake whirlwind," and reports from the east declare that he is skating faster this winter than ever before. Clarence Granger, the New York speedster, and his club mate, Phil Kearney of the Wanderers, Anderson, champion of Illinois, and many others will help to make skating history on the two nights of the meet.

Walking Delegate Gets Out
Globe, Ariz., Jan. 29.—The Globe Miners' Union accepted the resignation of Walking Delegate Wills, to whom mine operators objected and who was responsible for the recent shutdown. The Old Dominion Copper company at once announced resumption of business.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The maritime committee of the French chamber of deputies has declined to ask the government to recognize in a special manner the heroism of John R. Binnas, the Marconi operator aboard the Republic.

Rodolfo Espinosa, the new minister from Nicaragua, was introduced to President Roosevelt by Secretary of State Bacon. The usual felicitous messages were exchanged.

Claiming that the army is badly in need of officers of the line, Major Bell, chief of staff, appeared before the house committee on military affairs in favor of an increase of the number of officers.

ASK DAMAGES OF \$2,000,000

Owners of Republic Blame
Florida For Collision

LATTER GOING TOO FAST

Italian Vessel's Owners Also File
Libel Suit and Later Obtain Court
Order Staying All Suits For Dam-
ages—Claim That Disaster Was
Due to Neglect on the Part of Re-
public's Officers

New York, Jan. 29.—Just which ship was responsible for the collision between the White Star liner Republic and the Italian liner Florida off Nantucket, Mass., and which company shall pay the damages will be decided by the court of admiralty.

Both companies filed suits Thursday. The owners of the Republic claim damages of \$2,000,000 and recite, in concise legal form, the story of the marvelous sea disaster. The blame for the collision is placed on the Florida, and the contention is made that the latter ship was steaming at "an immoderate rate of speed" when the crash came.

The owners of the Florida also filed a libel suit and a petition for a limitation of liability against the Florida. The petitioners ask that their liability, in case the suits are decided against them, be placed at \$224,000, the value of the damage to the Florida.

Later the Florida's owners applied for and obtained an order from Judge Adams in the United States circuit court, staying all suits for damages against the steamship Florida on the ground that their petition for limitation of liability had been before the \$2,000,000 libel suit of the Oceanic Steamship Navigation company.

In their suit proper the Florida owners allege that the collision was due to the neglect of the Republic's officers.

C. B. Richards & Co., agents for the Lloyd-Italiano line, to which the Florida belongs, believe that Captain Ruspini, his officers and crew should come in for some of the praise that has been bestowed upon the officers of the Republic.

In a statement issued last night they point out the bravery and humanity displayed by Ruspini, who, despite the fact that his vessel was sorely damaged, stood by the Republic for more than twenty-four hours, rescuing the passengers from the Republic and then transferring them to the Baltic when that ship reached the scene.

The statement is made that had the Baltic not arrived Ruspini would successfully have brought his overcrowded ship into this port.

EARTH SHOCKS CONTINUE

Downpour of Rain Causes Cessation
of Work in Messina

Messina, Jan. 29.—The population felt particular alarm Thursday over a number of earth shocks which occurred, as it was just a month since the great earthquake overwhelmed the city.

Terrific rain storms have prevailed and the downpour has caused a suspension of work.

The American relief ship Celtic landed such a great quantity of meal here that General Mazza distributed part of it to the soldiers, but he ordered the military commissariat later to return to the people an equal quantity out of the soldiers' provisions.

LIVELY SCRAP TONIGHT

Tommy Murphy of Harlem and Owen
Moran of England to Mix It Up

New York, Jan. 29.—Two of the cleverest little men with the gloves will get together tonight in the ring of the National Athletic club in this city. They are "Harlem" Tommy Murphy of this city and Owen Moran of England.

Each of the two fighters has met the best men of their class in this country, and each has championship ideas. The fight, which is scheduled to go ten rounds, will probably be the best seen here in some time.

London Tied Up by Fog
London, Jan. 29.—For three days London has been hidden in a pall of yellow fog, causing complete disorganization of traffic and business of all kinds. Pleasure resorts are practically deserted, and shopkeepers and the restaurants are suffering heavy losses. There have been several robberies.

Princess in Auto Smashup
Rome, Jan. 29.—An automobile in which Princess Alice of Bourbon, youngest daughter of Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, and several companions were driving, was wrecked in an accident near the Via Nazario. The occupants were thrown out of the machine, but were not injured.

Disappointed Crowd of 50,000
Berlin, Jan. 29.—The first experiments in Berlin with a flying machine were witnessed when Armand Zipfel, a French aviator, began a series of trials on Tempelhof field. An enormous crowd, exceeding 50,000, was attracted to the scene, but the machine failed to fly.

BIDS FOR WIRELESS TOWER

Navy Department Wants to Keep in
Communication With Ships

Washington, Jan. 29.—The navy department opened bids for locating a wireless tower in Washington for communicating with ships at sea, to the distance of 3000 miles.

For a long time the department has felt the desirability of the development of wireless telegraphy as a means of readily communicating at long distances between central stations at various points in the United States with the commands at sea.

The bids submitted indicated a lively competition, seven firms submitting proposals. The most satisfactory of these offered to furnish apparatus and tower for \$182,600.

Features of some of the other bids, which included ideas not called for in the specifications, favorably impressed the officials, and they may be given consideration before the award is made.

POWERS AGAIN WORRYING

Signs of Trouble Between Turkey
and Bulgaria Are Increasing

London, Jan. 29.—The Balkan situation is again causing some anxiety at the European capitals. Bulgaria's action in calling out her reserves is apparently explained by Turkey's attempts to obtain a rectification of the existing frontier as a condition for reducing her monetary demands from Bulgaria. Noting the danger of trouble between Turkey and Bulgaria, the powers are again resorting to negotiations to bring about joint pressure in favor of a peaceful settlement.

According to a Sofia dispatch, Great Britain has advised Turkey to accept an indemnity of \$20,000,000, and Bulgaria is inclined to pay this sum, provided Turkey abandons her claim for rectification of the frontier.

PROPOSED FISHERIES AGREEMENT WAITS

Newfoundlanders Express Opin-
ion That It Will Fail

St. John's, Jan. 29.—The colonial government has not given its assent, as yet, to the proposed fishery agreement between Great Britain and the United States, and the opinion is expressed in some quarters that it will fail.

Premier Dond and his cabinet decline to discuss the situation for publication, but it is admitted in government circles that a deadlock exists.

The opposition press holds the viewpoint that Dond is unwilling to allow claims of American vessel owners for damages caused by the detention of schooners to be submitted to The Hague for arbitration.

THIS IS MCKINLEY DAY

Birthday of Martyr President Remem-
bered in Washington

Washington, Jan. 29.—The birthday of William McKinley, late president of the United States, which occurs today, will be remembered with appropriate exercises by the patriotic societies of the national capital. Mr. McKinley was born Jan. 29, 1843.

Next Sunday evening a memorial sermon on "William McKinley, the Man, the Soldier, the Citizen, President and Christian," will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Woodrow in the First Congregational church. Many of the attendants at today's exercises will hear the sermon.

MONOPOLY IN DIAMONDS

Government Looks After All Found
in German Southwest Africa

Berlin, Jan. 29.—The Reichsanzeiger publishes a rescript from Emperor William establishing a government monopoly of the trade in all diamonds found in German Southwest Africa.

All stones must be turned over to the representative of the government, who will undertake their sale and turn over to the owner the proceeds after deducting the expense incurred and a tax, which together will amount to about one-third of the value.

Long Retires From Active Work

Boston, Jan. 29.—Having had an honorable career of nearly half a century at the bar, former Governor and Secretary of the Navy John D. Long has dissolved the long standing partnership of Long & Remondway and will retire from the active practice of law.

Old Fireman Answers Last Call
Boston, Jan. 29.—Captain John H. Elliott, for over fifty years connected with the Boston fire department, died last night, aged 72. Elliott was 6 feet, 11½ inches tall. On account of heart trouble he was retired on half pay in 1903.

The Illinois Senatorial Deadlock
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 29.—But one senatorial ballot was taken in the joint session Thursday and it was void of interesting results. The two houses adjourned until Tuesday.

Canada's Next Governor General
London, Jan. 29.—It is reported that John Sinclair, secretary for Scotland, who has just been raised to the peerage, will be the next governor general of Canada.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 29, 1909

LEGISLATIVE OPINIONS

If New Hampshire is to have a new State House, the consensus of Portsmouth opinion is that it ought to be located in Manchester which is both more accessible and better able to take care of the crowds that will visit the capital city.

Representative Hackett's bills for the changing of the Portsmouth city government are to be subjected to criticism to a considerable degree. The people of the city are feeling pretty cautious about changes in their form of government. The proposed board of public works is also another instance where there is a feeling of uncertainty. These bills are all earnestly advocated by men experienced in city affairs and possessed of good judgment. The Chronicle will present the detail of these bills to its readers as soon as the printed copies are issued.

The anti-pass bill introduced by Representative Toothaker of Berlin appears like a sensible measure. It is a copy of the Hughes bill of New York with the necessary changes of locality.

BIRD'S-EYE VIEWS

Will York county Pomona Grange be divided?

The Newfoundland fisheries dispute is likely to be settled by The Hague permanent peace tribunal.

Franklin is getting the stone ready for a big job of macadamizing this year.

Northwood would like to catch that frog.

Did one of those bullets hit Concord's "Peeping Tom" the other night?

The great coal strike settlement of 1902-3 expires on April 1 of this year.

There are 52 savings banks, 49 trust companies and 35 loan and building associations now doing business in the state of Maine, according to the report of State Bank Examiner William B. Skelton of Lewiston. These institutions have total assets of \$140,655,861, a gain of \$4,257,158 over last year. Including dividends the deposits in the savings banks during the past year showed a year's increase of \$748,963. The percentage of gain for the year was 3.3 per cent, as compared with 2.3 per cent, the year before.

Protesting that they were not opposed to federal inspection of naval stores per se, a committee of business men of Savannah appeared before the interstate commerce committee of the Senate recently to protest against the passage of the bill

of Senator Tallaferro. They based their opposition on the ground that its main purpose was to divert the large trade of Savannah to the port of Jacksonville, Fla. Savannah is the largest naval stores market in the world. A very large part of its receipts of turpentine and rosin come from Florida. Savannah also ships a tremendous quantity of cotton, handling one and one-half million bales a year. Naval stores are quickly handled on the docks, and in combination with cotton, furnish a cargo that is given the benefit of preferential freight rates. Naval stores products originating in Florida, could be shipped to the port of Jacksonville under this law without federal inspection, but not to Savannah, as the latter would constitute an interstate shipment. The effect would naturally be to divert the shipments from Savannah to the Florida ports.

THIS RECIPE WILL CURE RHEUMATISM

Valuable Prescription to Get Relief Which Anyone Can Easily Prepare At Home

Thousands of men and women who have felt the sting and torture of this dread disease, which is no respecter of age, persons, sex, color or rank, will be interested to know that while for many years rheumatism was considered an incurable disease, now it is one of the easiest afflictions of the human body to conquer. Medical science has proven it not a distinct disease in itself, but a symptom caused by inactive kidneys. Rheumatism is uric acid in the blood and other waste products of the system which should be filtered and strained out in the form of urine. The function of the kidneys is to sift these poisons and acids out and keep the blood clean and pure. The kidneys, however, are of sponge-like substance, the holes or pores of which will sometimes, either from overwork, cold or exposure become clogged and inactive, and falling in their function of eliminating these poisons from the blood, they remain in the veins, decompose and settling about the joints and muscles, cause the untold suffering and pain of rheumatism and backache, often producing complications of bladder and urinary disease, weakness, etc.

The following simple prescription is said to relieve the worst cases of rheumatism because of its direct action upon the blood and kidneys, relieving, too, the most severe forms of bladder and urinary troubles: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. The ingredients can be had from any good prescription pharmacy, and are absolutely harmless and safe to use at any time.

NEW ENGLAND CONGREGATIONALISTS

Twelve Hundred Delegates to Meet Next Month in Manchester

The meeting of the New England Congregational congress, which will open in Manchester on Feb. 23, will be the second annual session of the organization, its first having been held in Worcester, Mass. Basing calculations upon the attendance there, it is estimated that from a thousand to 1200 delegates will be present for the sessions in Manchester, making one of the largest gatherings of the sort in the city or state. Women, as well as men, are eligible for delegates, and at Worcester the men proved to be in an overwhelming majority.

The congress is controlled by a commission of two members from each of the six states, New Hampshire being represented on the board by Rev. Dr. Thomas Chalmers of Manchester and E. S. Voyer of Somersworth. Each church is entitled to representation by the pastor and one delegate for each 250 members or fractioned part of that number.

Some idea of the number of churches included in the field of the congress is furnished by this summary of the Congregational church organizations in New England: Maine 228; New Hampshire 209; Vermont 223; Massachusetts 621; Rhode Island 42; Connecticut 359.

The meetings will cover two days, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 23 and 24, and will be held at the First Congregational church.

PORTSMOUTH MEASURES BEFORE LEGISLATURE

(Continued from first page)

present time. The axe has already begun to fall.

The committee on education met Thursday and arranged for a visit to the state normal school in connection with the trip there of the normal school committee next Tuesday.

Trustees William D. Chandler of Concord, William F. Witcher of Woodsville and William J. Starr of Manchester, Librarian Arthur H. Chase and the members of his staff informally received a large number of members of the legislature at the state library Wednesday night.

Plans have been perfected for the biennial reception and ball in honor of His Excellency, Governor Kimbly, on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 18. Entrance will be through the city hall, where suitable rooms will be opened for the convenience of the guests. The reception will be held in the Auditorium from 8.30 to 9.30, after which the guests will proceed to the new state armory, which will be connected by a covered passage way with the Auditorium. In the Armory the grand march will take place followed by the ball, and seats will be provided for several hundred guests. The banquet will be served in the Auditorium after 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Quimby will receive Wednesday afternoon Feb. 3, from 4 to 6 o'clock at the Eagle Hotel. The public is invited to attend and a special invitation is extended to members of the legislature and their families.

The committee on appropriations has secured headquarters in the Guild hall, Memorial Parish house, and announces public hearings there as follows: Tuesday morning, Feb. 2, at 9.45 on H. B. 174, to repeal all annual anti-standing appropriations and H. B. 175, providing for estimates of state expenses and the preparation of an appropriation bill or bills to meet the same.

The judiciary committee announces a public hearing on the various bills before it in regard to free transportation on railroads for Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 3, at 1.30. Allegedly the committee has been visited by representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, protesting against the provision in various bills not allowing the families of railroad employees any free transportation.

The Concord delegation will give the first of a series of hearings on the new city charter in the council chambers at city hall next Tuesday evening.

One of the bills killed proposed to raise the age of consent for girls from sixteen to eighteen years. Another would have required that doors on all public buildings open outward. A third would have punished by fine or imprisonment or both the giving of a check with no funds in bank to meet it. A fourth proposed to make Feb. 12, Lincoln's birthday, a perpetual legal holiday.

General Stevens of Lisbon is not the only former legislator who has a grandson in the present house. Hon. Luther B. Hoskins, father of ex-Senator Hoskins and grandfather of Representative Hoskins of Lisbon, is alive and in good health at the age of eighty-eight years and maintains a legal holiday.

Baby Laugh

It belongs to health for a baby to eat and sleep, to laugh and grow fat.

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tests much interest in the proceedings under the dome. Mr. Hoskins was a member of the house in the early 60's and later served as a member of Governor Smyth's council. Evidently the old stock in the North Country is not deteriorating. Representative Musgrove of Hanover is to talk on "Legislative Matters" before the New Hampshire Weekly Publishers' Association at its annual winter meeting in Boston on Friday, and Editor Barney, whose face is not a strange one under the dome, will speak on "Reminiscences of the Pass and Politics."

Except a very few of the important committees, there was practically no committee work Thursday. The consequence is that very few bills can be expected to come back into the house before next Wednesday. The chairmen of the committees have quickly found that it is useless to call meetings on Thursday because of the impossibility of getting a quorum. Under the legislative procedure, the important factor is this committee work. The house as a body cannot really get at the measures until they are reported from the committees, but it can waste through a mass of business when the committees bring it along. As it is now, the only encouraging time for work in committee is between sessions Tuesdays and Wednesday and possibly Wednesday and Thursday mornings. The available time for these sessions may be an hour and a half each. With the hope of making Thursday as important a day for committee work as Wednesday now is, the leaders of the house with the speaker are considering the desirability of making Friday a working day at this session. It is believed a quorum of members is willing to accept such a proposition if it can be demonstrated that there is work in the house to do. In a half hour of sitting Thursday afternoon the clerks' table was absolutely cleared of business. With only two or three of the important committees at work Thursday, there can be but little business to take up, if Friday was made a working day. If, however, the committees generally had given as much attention to their work as committees Thursday as Wednesday, the situation would be different. By making Thursday a working day for committees with the knowledge that whatever they should bring along would be cleared away on Fridays, the length of the session from this time out would be shortened nearly one-half. It is the purpose to make such a serious attempt and it will depend upon the members generally if it shall be made a success. No greater stroke of economy all along the line could be struck than to carry out this proposition.

Representative Adolph Wagner of Manchester has given notice that on Tuesday he would offer a resolution to amend the rules providing that at least one day should intervene between the ordering of a bill to third reading and its being read a third time. The adoption of such a resolution will give the members over night to hunt out the printed bill and pass judgment upon its provisions deliberately before being called upon to vote upon its final passage. The change in rules providing for the printing of bills before reference to committee made the legislative procedure the third reading and final passage of bills at the afternoon session of the very day upon which they are favorably reported by committee, which many times, especially when a recess in the morning session is taken, would be but a very few minutes apart. Formerly the intervening printing and the lying upon the table one day after distribution gave more than the time now suggested.

DARNING NEEDLE IN EAR

Nashua, Jan. 29.—Mrs. Edna Whitney of Elm court is suffering from a very serious and painful accident. On Wednesday she was knitting with large wooden needles when she arose to cross the room. Feeling something in her ear she put the point of one of the needles in it. A second later she turned her head quickly in such a manner that the other end of the needle struck the side of the house. The needle point was driven into her ear, piercing the drum and came near piercing her brain.

ENJOYED A SLEIGH RIDE TO HAMPTON

The nice o'clock club of this city with friends, enjoyed a sleigh ride to Hampton on Thursday evening. There was about thirty in the party and at Hampton a dance was enjoyed followed by a supper. The return was made to this city at a late hour.

MENTAL HEALING

Lecture by Dr. McComb of the Emanuel Church of Boston

There was a good sized and very attractive audience at Association hall on Thursday evening, to hear Dr. McComb of the Emanuel church of Boston, lecture on the so-called Emanuel movement or mental healing. Dr. McComb is the assistant of Dr. Worcester, the founder of the movement and he explained what great benefits that are being received from the treatment. He is an interesting talker and held the close attention of the audience for a long time.

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FOR LOSS OF REPUBLIC

White Star Line Libel Against Owners of Florida for \$2,000,000 Damage

New York, Jan. 29.—Counsel for the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company, owners of the White Star line steamer Republic, has filed a libel in the United States district court against the steamer Florida of the Lloyd-Talano line. Damages amounting to \$1,500,000 for the loss of the ship and \$500,000 for the loss of cargo and effects of the passengers and crew are claimed.

It was asserted in the libel that the collision was due to no fault on the part of Capt. Sealby of the Republic, but wholly to the fault of the Florida, which, it is alleged, did not keep a proper course, had not sufficient lookout did not give proper whistles nor pay heed to the whistles of the Republic; that the Florida failed to indicate her changes of helm, that she was proceeding at an immoderate speed and did not stop or back her engines.

The assertion is made that when the officers of the Republic first heard the whistles of the Florida in the fog, the Republic's engines run full speed astern and that her helm was hard a port. Shortly afterward the Florida appeared broad off the Republic's portside, tearing down at a high speed and threatening to strike the Republic at right angles amidship.

"In the effort to escape the blow," declares the libel, "the master put the engines of the Republic ahead; but the Florida came on at a high rate of speed, apparently swinging under a starboard helm, and crashed head on into the portside of the Republic, penetrating into the engine room."

It was also asserted that at the time of the collision the Republic was running at reduced speed and that the captain, two officers, a quartermaster and a seaman were on the bridge with two lookouts in the crow's nest.

The Florida's bow, it is declared, struck the Republic nearly a square blow and made a narrow, vertical cut extending below the water line, starting the bulkheads. The top of the Florida's bow passed above the Republic's side plating, wrecked the cabins along the saloon and promenade decks and killed two passengers and injured others. The Republic's bulkhead doors were closed and the ship began to settle.

The court is asked to condemn the Florida and order the payment of \$2,000,000 damages to the owners of the Republic.

The Lloyd-Talano Società di Navigazione, owners of the Steamship Florida, also filed in the United States district court a libel and petition for a limitation of liability against the Florida, her freight and passage money. The papers state that the collision was solely caused by the fault and neglect on the part of the Republic. The petitioners say that the damage value of the Florida now does not exceed \$224,000 and ask the court to fix the liability at not more than that amount.

The White Star line has retained as special counsel, John Parker Kir-

lin of 27 William street. Mr. Kirlin will collaborate with the regular attorneys of the line, Robinson, Bidle & Benedict. Mr. Kirlin has already been engaged in the reading of the statements of the Republic's officers, as embodied in their typewritten testimony given to the company.

The question of the speed of the two vessels at the moment of the collision in the fog promises to give grounds for much contention. The Italian liner's officers maintain that she was going at half speed. Those of the Republic say that the Republic was proceeding at a very slow and perfectly safe rate. It is likely that the lawyers of either side will severely attack the question of the speed of the other side's ship. As the witnesses may amount up to hundreds in number, the testimony is likely to be very extended and complicated.

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RAILROAD NOTES

The building recently erected at the depot for the storage of parcels will be used as a storeroom, the original idea having been given up.

It is understood that the Boston and Maine Eastern division has a six-months' contract for transportation of cattle from the Chicago Stock Company to Portland for steamer shipment.

The crew at the repair shops at this station are working on a four day basis per week.

Four extra freights are running over the Southern division between Portsmouth and Manchester, moving the coal now afloat at the North End docks.

The Ioka Bowling Club, comprising the freight office clerks, is sending them down the alley in great style and is anxious to hear from Captain Pray of the roundhouse bowlers for a match game for the local championship of the Boston and Maine.

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THE DEFENSE OPENED IN DR. WHITE'S TRIAL

Set up an Alibi and That Accusation Was Made for Revenge

Exeter, Jan. 29.—The prosecution closed and the defense opened today in the case of Dr. Herbert A. White of North Hampton, on trial for the killing of Mary A. Lane of Stratham by a criminal surgical operation. The nature of the defense is a surprise, being nothing less than that the dead girl sought revenge on Dr. White and went to her grave with the satisfaction of having left behind her for that purpose a tale in which she had borne false witness against him. The other feature of the defense is an alibi.

The state called A. H. Brown of Portsmouth who testified to having done repair work on Dr. White's automobile.

Mrs. Taylor of North Hampton testified that Miss Lane stayed at her home from March 11, 1908, when she left Dr. White's employ, till May 18, when she went to Portsmouth, and also to seeing Dr. White's automobile disabled and being towed by another automobile.

Hon. Samuel W. Emery made the opening statement for the defense. He stated that the defense would show that Dr. White is not the author of the notes found among Miss Lane's effects. The note about a meeting on the night of the doctor taking the third degree in Masonry would be shown to have been an appointment incapable of being kept by Dr. White, and others were equally absurd. Dr. White's movements at the times and occasions in evidence would be accounted for. The deathbed statement was not worthy of consideration because of the circumstances under which it was made and the dead girl had left Dr. White's employ in anger.

"Mrs. Garvey is the only person who has ever told of seeing Dr. White and Mary Lane together, and if you want to believe her evidence."

The first witness for the defense was Edward Fitzgerald, clerk in Ham's safe, Portsmouth, who testified to seeing Dr. White in the restaurant on several occasions but did not fix dates.

Charles C. Crowell and William M. Hodgdon of Chadwick's shop, Portsmouth, testified that on Sept. 25 last, the date of the alleged criminal operation, Dr. White spent the time from 3.30 to five o'clock at the shop watching a job on his machine and was only absent a few minutes at a time. They fixed the date and hour by the shop time card and readily recalled the circumstance.

G. Fred Drew, manager of Boynton's bottling works, Portsmouth, testified that Dr. White was at the works a few minutes at 3.45 p. m. on Sept. 25 and ordered some goods. Mr. Drew was cross examined at considerable length as to the distances between the different spots in Portsmouth which have been brought into the evidence.

Mrs. Finlayson of Rye testified to seeing Dr. White in Market square, Portsmouth, when she was taking the five o'clock car for home.

Mrs. Goldie M. Barton of North Hampton testified that, shortly after Miss Lane left Dr. White's employ she told the witness that she would "make trouble for Dr. White and his wife if she lived long enough."

Emery C. Dennis and Harry A. White testified that the doctor's professional work had compelled him to spend all night at their homes.

Fred L. Dow and George B. Carter of North Hampton testified to a defendant's good reputation. Mr. Dow is on his bail and is also his landlord.

Ernest White, a brother, testified to being present at the original consultation in the office of County Solicitor Batchelder and as to whistles presented by Mr. Batchelder and Mrs. Garvey.

Arthur A. Jenness and Charles W. Spear of Rye testified that two days before Dr. White took his third degree in Masonry, he asked them to accompany him, that they accepted the invitation and the trip was made in his automobile. The three returned home immediately after the close of the lodge.

At this point the mid-day adjournment was taken.

Testimony on Thursday afternoon Charles French, the handwriting expert was called to the stand at the beginning of the afternoon session and

he testified to the hand writing on letters submitted to him as being the same as those claimed to be Dr. White.

Eugene E. Dixon of Dover, formerly a drug clerk at Boardman & Norton's testified that Dr. White purchased drugs there. He also admitted giving him a sheet of paper bearing the head of an insurance company of which he was the agent to Dr. White.

Charles E. Woods testified to the fact that Dr. White purchased an automobile from him in April 1908.

Albert H. Sides secretary of the St. John's lodge of Masons, testified that Dr. White was a member of that organization and that he took his third degree on a certain date.

Walter H. Page testified as secretary of the P. A. C. that Dr. White was a member of that organization.

Here several letters claimed by the state to have been found in Mary Lane's room and said to have been written by Dr. White were read to the jury by County Solicitor Batchelder.

One letter referred to the fact that he was to take his third degree in the Masons at such a date and referred to the fact that he had a break down in his automobile on his way into the city and had been towed in.

Another letter was on the note paper of an insurance company and was very loving. In it the writer called her his "Dear Little Girl," and said they had better change their boarding place for he feared they were being watched. He hoped soon to be so that he could be nearer and see her oftener than two afternoons in a week. It ended with "Don't forget your Harry."

Miss Mabel Hodgdon a clerk at Chadwick and Trefethen's was called and she testified that Dr. White brought his automobile to the shop on Sept. 25 to be repaired. She showed the entry and the time card.

Winfred Gray and Elmer Glass who worked on the machine testified to seeing Dr. White that date and fixing his machine.

County Solicitor Batchelder, announced that he would probable close his case shortly after the opening of the morning session.

The defense have summoned a large number of witnesses and it is doubtful if the case will go to the jury before the last of next week. It is not known whether a session will be held Saturday or not.

Court adjourned at five o'clock Thursday until ten o'clock this morning.

FROM EXETER

A Military Ball by Local Company

Exeter, Jan. 29.

The first annual ball of Company I, the local National Guard organization, was given at the town hall on Thursday evening. An exhibition drill was given during the early part of the evening, in which the military maneuvers and various movements were exemplified in a praiseworthy manner. Style's Eight Regiment orchestra of Lynn, Mass., rendered a pleasing concert. This organization is one of the leading ones in that section and has officiated at many former social functions. The concert consisted of six selections, in which several of the popular airs of the day were rendered. The musical organization was under the direction of Harry E. Styles, chief musician, and Harry L. Chamberlain, director and prompter. An order of eighteen dances was carried out, which consumed the hours till late.

One of the features of the occasion was the decorations. The stage was screened by the American flag and palms, while from the walls the flags of many nations were pending. A novel feature of the drill was the display of the American flag, which was shown in red, white and blue electric light, at retreat, the effect being more telling, as all of the other lights were turned off. Other

electric lights were shown in red, white and blue at all sections of the hall. It was a veritable garden of the national colors. Among the out-of-town guests were many prominent military men, including Regiment Quartermaster I. C. Washburn of Portsmouth. The officials in charge were: Floor manager, Cook W. E. Peters; aids, Sergt. L. A. Dragoon, Corporals B. F. Laframboise, J. H. Dudley, C. W. French, Private W. S. Callahan; arrangement committee, Second Lieut. C. E. Robison, First Sergt. W. E. Farnham, Private F. J. Timmish; reception committee, Capt. A. E. Foss, Q. M. Sergt. H. H. Grant, Sergt. L. E. Day, Corporal W. T. Davis; decoration committee, Cook W. E. Peters, Corporal C. W. French, Privates J. E. Noonan, W. S. Callahan, F. W. Dwyer.

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PROPOSALS.

The City of Portsmouth, N. H., invites proposals for furnishing the Poor Department groceries for the year 1909. Specifications and blanks may be seen at the Office of the City Auditor. Bids will be opened Saturday, January 30th, 1909, at 11 o'clock A. M. and the right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Bids should be marked "Proposal for Groceries" addressed to the Auditor.

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Sundays—First car at 8:00, 9:00 a. m., then same as above.

Cars leave White's for Hampton, for Southtown—6:30, 7:30, 8:40 a. m., then every hour until 9:50 p. m.

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RIVALS OF OUR GIRLS

HOW THEY MAY AVOID FLA-GRANT FAULTS IN DRESS.

Rules Which If Followed Will Lead to Good Taste, Style and Becomingness in Clothes—Should Never Be Conspicuous.

Florence Augustine has written the following article of interest to girls, being a description of some of the most glaring faults common in the dress of young girls in their teens, and an indication of how they may attain good taste, becomingness, and style in their dress:

In choosing a frock for the young girl, the chief virtue to be sought, naturally, is simplicity. Showy patterns, expensive materials, and exaggerated styles are alike vulgar and out of place on the girl who values her youth. A well-bred girl abhors anything that will make her conspicuous. Hence she would rule out loud plaids, stripes, and staring colors, and choose instead solid, soft shades and indistinct designs in both winter and summer materials. A rough Oxford gray, a navy blue, or dark-brown cloth, serge or cheviot makes an excellent school suit. This should have the minimum of trimming on it. The custom of wearing white linen collar, lapels, and cuffs on these woolen coat suits is very pretty; for dressy wear lace sets, as one as one can afford, may replace the linen.

An afternoon or evening dress for a young girl should contain as little trimming as the morning suit, but may make up for any lack in the handsomeness of the material. The soft messaline and tulle silks, which come now in such delicate and beautiful colors, are especially suitable for young girls. The feature of these dresses is their absolute simplicity—no trimming beyond a touch of lace in the yoke and sleeves. Any of the pale pastel shades is suitable for the evening, and for afternoon street wear any of the softer shades of brown, blue or gray is appropriate. But for an evening dress, nothing is so pretty and so becoming to the young girl as pure white. It may be in lawn, batiste, organdie, or all-over embroidery, but any of these wash materials are more girlish than silks or other stiff and heavy goods.

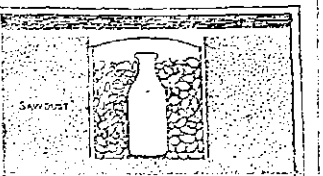
"The girl who longs to be grown up and wears all the latest fads of dangling trinkets, cheap lace, and gewgaws on her clothes is one example of the inappropriate over-dressing of young girls, which is so common and which never ceases to be as funny as it is ugly. "High French heels, snugly drawn-in waists, bulging pompadours, and wide flaring skirts, a hat on the back of the head with a row of artificial puffs filling in the space in front, dangling beads and chains, glittering purses and floating plumes—all these are details of the over-dressed young girl in the city as in the country, among the rich as well as among the poor.

"A young girl's accessories of hats and boots and gloves should always be marked by the same simplicity as her dress. Ostentatious plumes are out of keeping; also are elaborate expensive algorithms and loads of gaudy flowers. Only the simplest net veils should be worn, plain kid or silk gloves in black, white or tan, and shoes without spurs or other conspicuous ornamentation, in black or in tan or in white canvas. Her hand should be large enough to fit her head comfortably, to shade her face, and of a shape to stay on without the extra anchorage of a dozen bangles.

MILK BOTTLE ICE BOX.

It Doesn't Cost Much, But It Does the Business.

At a cost of from 25 to 50 cents, you can have one of these milk bottle ice boxes. Any ordinary milk bottle, about 12 by 12 inches, with a depth of 12 inches, can be adapted for your purpose. In the bottom of this box place plenty of sawdust, and on this set a tin pan, about 12 inches in diameter and high enough to take in a



KEEP MILK COOL AND SWEET. When milk is milk. The milk must be in a clean, and not on the bottom of the box. Place a cylinder of ice around the pan, which is a little larger than the pan, and pack sawdust about the cylinder, filling the space full up to the level of the top of the pan. Partition with nails or sticks about 15 layers of newspapers to the under side of the box cover. The milk bottle is set in the pan and broken ice packed about it. An ice man of this description, says Pop-Mechanics, will hold two quart bottles of milk for 24 hours about two cents a day to operate this cool box device.

Look for Eggs.

The list of the sisters who live in New England show in winter know that water eggs are scarce a few of the eggs will take the place of one egg. Try it, and be convinced—Harper's Bazar.

WOMAN R. F. D. CARRIER.

Miss Mary Cheek Has Had Regular Route Since 1902.

Mary F. Cheek until recently was the only woman carrying mail on



regular free delivery routes. She has been regular carrier from Toledo, O., since the route was established in 1902 and has been on duty winter and summer. It is hard work, but Miss Mary says she loves it, and that she believes it has benefited her health greatly.

Boat of Kitchen Bouquets.

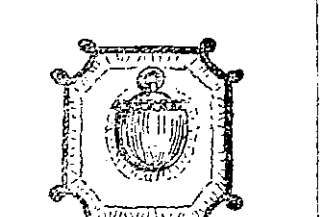
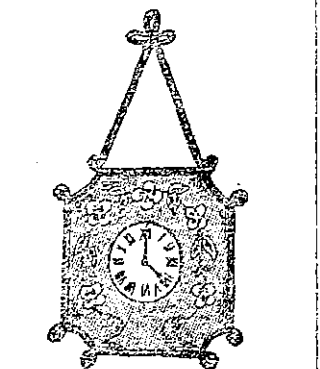
A noted cook gives the following as the best of all kitchen bouquets: Take one onion, one celery root, one carrot, one sweet potato, one parsnip, one red pepper, one shallot, and from one to four clove garlics, according to taste. Remove the seeds from the pepper, scrape the carrot and parsnip, peel the onion and potato, and chop all the vegetables very small. Mix with them large bay-leaves and a fourth of a teaspoonful of cloves, mace, cinnamon and allspice; many cooks prefer to omit the cinnamon. Mix all together and season with a teaspoonful of salt and half a teaspoonful of white pepper. Put a layer of the vegetables in the bottom of a saucepan, sprinkle well with brown sugar, then add another layer of vegetables and another of sugar. Proceed in this way until all are used. Put in a quick oven, when they have baked to a rich brown and half a cupful of cold water, and stir or stir on top of the stove until a rich brown syrup has formed; it will require fifteen or twenty minutes. Strain off the syrup and bottle, corking it tightly. Keep in a cool place. A very little of this added to soups, stews or sauces will give richness both in color and flavor. —Mary Foster Silder.

TO HOLD THE WATCH.

Convenience of Great Utility for the Hours of Night.

This novel little holder for a watch is intended for hanging upon the wall by the side of a bed, and into which a watch may be slipped at night-time, and be easily seen when required.

A piece of stout cardboard of the shape shown should be used for the



foundation, and in the center a circular hole cut to fit the watch it is intended for. The cardboard can be decorated with any pretty piece of paper or brocade on which has been worked a very pretty little floral design. It is entirely edged with cord, and there is a loop at the top by which it may be hung upon the wall. At the back of the circular space, cut in the center, is seen a small pocket of wash leather, into which the watch may be placed; the lower sketch of the back view explains this.

Fall River Wage Earners.

Instead of one woman in five, forty-five out of a hundred are wage earners in Fall River, Mass. An *Everybody's Magazine* writer learns, moreover, that out of the 16,271 women cotton-workers in Fall River in 1900 there were only 345 who could say that both of their parents had been born in the United States.

WELL-BRED GIRLS

DANGEROUS ONES GROWING UP IN THE TRANSVAAL.

The South African Young Woman Has Not Yet Arrived But She is on Her Way—Her Out-door Life.

The day of the South African girl has hardly arrived yet; but when it comes, says a writer in the *Queen*, let the Americans see to their laurels, for they will have dangerous competitors in the field.

The Dutch women of the Transvaal are tall and splendidly developed, and there are the two distinct types, the purely Dutch with golden brown hair, gray or hazel eyes and creamy skin and the brunette of French descent with dark eyes and hair and rich dark coloring. But both types are on a larger scale than their European antecedents. The sun of South Africa is a great vitalizer, and the children of that land of vast spaces have more room to grow and develop in, and they learn from their infancy such an out of doors life that they are bound to be an improvement physically on their sisters of the northern hemisphere.

Dutch women of South Africa always accompanied their husbands in their large hooded, slow moving wagons, their nomadic existence extended to carelessness of habits and of dress, but it developed in them an infinite capacity for persevering effort, a strength of character, a stubbornness, as well as great vitality, all of which excellent qualities go to the making of a strong nation.

The present generation can be divided into two distinct classes, the inhabitants of the veld and those of the towns and villages, and while the fundamental characteristics are the same—grit, tenacity, levelheadedness, independence—still, there is a wide difference between the Boer woman of the country and the educated Dutch woman of the towns.

The former on reaching the age of 30 are large, fat and heavy. They marry very young and have patriarchal families, and over husband and children they wield a great sway, an influence very much greater than that of the English woman.

To a stranger the Boer vrouw appears stupid and silent; she shuts her mouth determinedly and sits stolidly through his visit; but in reality she is taking a detailed memorandum of his appearance, ways, and manners and nothing escapes her notice. If she is persuaded of his friendliness and good intentions she may relax a little; but the Dutch never by any chance tell you anything more than they wish you to know.

The Boer women have always been accustomed to a good supply of labor servants on their farms and they are not quite the energetic housewives one imagines but they generally prevail on their servants to get the work done to their satisfaction and there is one branch of housewifery in which they excel—the making of "komfyt" or preserves, whether jam-making of the ordinary kind or a more elaborate method of preserving the delicious fruit of the land.

Wide as the poles asunder are the educated Dutch women of the towns or those indeed of the country who have been sent to Cape Colony or to Europe to school. As adaptable as the Americans, with decided mental ability, they are full of common sense.

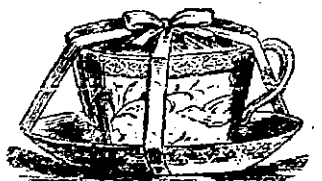
A girl who has been to a good school in South Africa and afterwards in Europe, has something most charming and fascinating about her. Handsome, vivacious, capable, with a clear idea of what she wants and how to get it, she carves a pleasant and useful way for herself through life.

Her out of doors life has made her strong and healthy and she sees the advantage of a certain amount of exercise. Since the war, if not before, she has taken a great interest in politics as well as in the work of her father or husband and in philanthropic matters she displays strong organizing ability. She has not yet developed the "female bachelor" ways of independent English womanhood, for in South Africa in every colony there is a large surplus of men and the Dutch girl invariably marries young and raises husband and family over after.

WILL TAKE WELD AT BAZAR.

Articles Easily Prepared and Likely to Be Popular.

In making articles or bazaar, a suggestion of something that is easily prepared and is likely to sell well is worth remembering. Pretty little Japanese cups and saucers can



be bought very cheaply, and they can be filled with chocolate creams and covered in at the top with silver paper and then tied up tastefully with colored ribbon in the manner shown in our sketch. If preferred, the chocolates can be wrapped in one of those Japanese paper serviettes, which may be purchased by the dozen.

The bright colors of the cups and saucers and ribbons will make a very attractive spot on a stall, and they should sell easily.

THE "TETRAHEDRAL"

Dr. Bell's Attempted Solution of the Problem of Man Flying.

It is a queer thought that grave and famous scientists sometimes betake themselves in dead earnest to the childhood sport of blowing bubbles. —not for sport, but to study some very difficult and hard to understand problems that trouble their learned minds. Perhaps it is even queerer to see a man whose name is known the world over for his learning, his inventions, his wonderful mind and his earnestness in the pursuit of knowledge, chasing after a queer-looking kite, and noting its behavior, and doing this, too, in the most serious manner.

For it is a serious matter, this scientific kite-flying, and the work, as it is done by Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, the famous inventor of the Bell telephone and dozens of other useful things, is a task which he hopes will some day result in a practical solution of that most baffling of riddles—how is man to learn to fly?

That a plane surface of not too great weight, properly held at an angle with moving air, will rise in the air and stay up, is a fact known to every boy who ever begged rags from "mother" for the "tail of his kite." The problem of flying is to get a kite big enough to hold a man or man, strong enough to stand the strain, steady enough to fly without danger, and stable enough to fly without a cord, and to alight without destroying itself.

It would seem that if a kite of say, ten square feet surface would lift ten pounds in a certain wind, a kite of twenty square feet would lift twenty pounds, and thirty square feet thirty pounds, and so on. But, unfortunately, for this easy solution of the problem, when two or more kites are added, each to each, they lack strength, and, to get the strength, more weight must be put into the frames and in cross bars and braces; so that, when the kite gets very large, indeed, large enough to lift a great deal of weight, it weighs as much as it will lift?

To make a kite which would grow stronger as it was made larger—a kite the lifting power of which would increase just as fast as the weight, and which would be just as strong (in proportion) big as it was small—was the first step in Dr. Bell's problem. This has been done, within wide limits, and the result is a kite called by the hard name of "tetrahedral."

The tetrahedral kite flies easily; it will rise from the ground without a man's having to run with a cord, except in the lightest of breezes. It will fly in a dead calm if pulled fast enough. It has no tail, and needs none; but it flies more steadily in some shape than in others, and letter with the cord at one place than another, and there, also, are special problems that will have to be worked out to obtain the best results. —St. Nicholas.

Electric Sunburn.

On board a cruiser recently under repair at Portsmouth, England, it became necessary to make a hole in the shutter of a turret. The mechanical processes commonly employed for work of this kind are so slow that an officer asked permission to melt the hole by using the electric arc. This operation, though well-known, attracted many curious spectators, from the captain down to the sailors. All went well, and the solid steel under the action of the current flowed like melted glass.

But on the morrow, everyone who had witnessed the operation was either half blinded or horribly burned. The officer who had directed the work, had the skin of his face completely scorched, and of a deep copper color; it gave off a strong liquid like that from a burn. Several sailors who were at some distance from the turret had their vision so affected that they were sent to the hospital and it was feared that they might lose their sight.

This is a characteristic case of "electric sunburn." It is well known that in its common and weakest form, sunburn consists merely in a slight redness of the skin accompanied by a burning irritation. Sometimes, especially if the subject has remained a long time in bright sunlight, the skin becomes really painful and becomes red and swollen as in sunburn. Later, blisters, filled with a clear liquid, may appear on the affected parts. —Los Angeles Herald.

A Sympathetic Victim.

There is a good story going the rounds in Pittsburg of a young man, formerly a stock broker, who dropped many thousands in speculation during the early spring.

One night, shortly after going to bed, the Pittsburger was awakened by strange signs. At his first motion to jump up he was greeted by a hoarse voice. "If you stir you're a dead man," it said. "I'm looking for money."

"In that case," pleasantly answered the erstwhile speculator, "kindly allow me to arise and strike a light. I shall deem it a favor to be permitted to assist in the search."

Modesty of M. Fallieres.

It would be difficult to find a more modest man in high places than M. Fallieres, the French President. "You are asking me," he said, not long ago, to an interviewer, "to blow my own trumpet, and I cannot gratify you. I remember every hour of my life that my grandfather was a blacksmith, while my father was a registrar."

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MOST IMMEDIATELY

If the food you ate at your last meal did not digest, but laid for a long time like lead on your stomach, then you have indigestion and quick action should be taken.

Of course there are many other symptoms of indigestion, such as belching up of sour food, heartburn, dizziness, shortness of breath and foul breath, and if you have any of them, your stomach is out of order and should be corrected.

MI-O-NA tablets have cured thousands of cases of indigestion and stomach trouble. If you have any stomach distress, MI-O-NA will relieve instantly.

But MI-O-NA unlike most so-called dyspepsia remedies, does more than relieve; it permanently cures dyspepsia or any stomach trouble by putting energy and strength into the walls of the stomach, where the gastric juices are produced.

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Rockingham Hotel, State St.
Moses Bros., Congress St.
B. M. Tilton, Market St.
News Stand, B. & M. station.
S. A. Preble, South St.
G. A. Norton, Greenland.
W. C. Hildreth, York Beach, Me.
J. L. Holland, York Village, Me.
E. M. Curtis, New Castle.
Batchelder's News Stand, Exeter.
W. C. Walker, Rye.
Fred Abrams, Kittery, Me.
Walker's Variety Store, Kittery, Me.
J. H. Macy, Kittery, Me.
Austin Gogins, Kittery, Me.
Fred H. Marden, Kittery Point, Me.
Arthur Seawards, Kittery Point, Me.
W. F. Cousins, Ogunquit, Me.
H. G. Moulton, Wells Corner, Me.

CITY BRIEFS

No police court today.
Quite a chilly morning.
More weather for the ice man.
Counters and tables for sale cheap.
G. B. French Co.

The tree warden has lots of work to care for in the spring.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, 34 Congress street.

One hundred came down from Dover Thursday night to see Dockstader's minstrel.

Chilly and windy. Only twenty-six degrees above zero at two o'clock this afternoon.

WANTED—A counter girl. Apply at the depot cafe. 326387.

Prizes of extra value will be awarded the winners at the P. C. U. whist party Monday evening next.

There was a large party from Dover here, on Thursday evening, to attend Lew Dockstader's minstrel show.

The recent experience of a bunch of sports from this city at the Revere House, Boston, was a funny stunt.

There is a howl of protest being raised along the entire line of the Exeter and Portsmouth electric road, over the talk being made to discontinue the road.

About twenty, including the members of the Rockingham county delegation, from Portsmouth vicinity, went to Brentwood this morning to inspect the county farm.

The Boston and Maine railroad is arranging to issue a pamphlet giving the business advantages of the towns and cities along its lines, as related to the establishing of new industries.

An institute for teachers in the elementary schools under the direction of the state department of public instruction will be held at the Congregational church, Rye Center, Friday, Feb. 5.

The Portsmouth delegation to the legislature will meet for organization this evening. This is necessary considering the great amount of work that has been thrust upon them in the shape of bills to amend the city charter.

One-Week Sale. Gold-filled Eye-glasses for \$1.00: your eyes examined free by the new scientific method the sure, correct way. Henri L. Bates, graduate of Dr. Knowles, New York, and degree of Doctor of Optics of the Illinois college, Masonic Temple, Chicago, dealer of all eye troubles, 12 Market square. I can save you one-half in prices on glasses.

PERSONAL

George E. French is spending the week in New York on business.

Mr. Director James A. Rhea, U. S. N. leaves today on a trip South where he will spend a month hunting game.

Conductor John L. Leavitt of the Boston and Maine, and wife and son have returned from a month's trip to Chicago.

Former Mayor Hackett of Portsmouth, Col. W. W. Spear of Dover, member of the House of Representatives, and Rev. A. P. Leavitt of Concord have been chosen judges of the John B. Clark elementary contest for pupils of the several Manchester public schools, to be held Feb. 2.

WHIST THAT CAN'T BE BEAT

At the whist games on the recent night of the York Beach Social Club Mr. H. Z. Ellis took all the tricks with the following hand: Spades were trumps and Mr. Ellis held the ace, king, queen, jack, ten and nine of spades, ace, king and queen of diamonds, the ace, king and queen of clubs, and the ace of hearts.

LEGISLATORS VISIT
COUNTY FARMSeveral Portsmouth Councilmen and
Citizens with the Party

The Portsmouth members of the Rockingham county delegation, who are to inspect the county institution at Brentwood today, left on the early morning train accompanied by County Commissioner Spinnery and Commissioner-elect Hodgdon.

With the delegation were Councilman Boynton, Councilman Blaisdell, Councilman Leary, Thomas A. Ward, John W. Caswell, Freeman R. Garrett, George H. Paltry, Levi Little, William Cogan, John W. Newell, John Wright G. Fred, Drew, C. H. Hayes, D. B. Cutter, H. O. Prime, Howard O. Nelson, Frank Newton, Burpee Wood.

The Portsmouth delegation met the other members of the legislature from the county at Epping, whence they went in a body to the county farm.

At noon the annual dinner was served.

MRS. N. S. JENNESS

Well Known Rye Woman Dead At
the Age of 77

Mrs. Rose A. Jenness, wife of Nathaniel S. Jenness of Rye, died on Thursday at the Cottage Hospital after a long sickness, aged seventy-seven years, eleven months and six days.

Mrs. Jenness had been a resident of Rye nearly fifty years and was known for her many loving qualities as a mother, wife and neighbor. She leaves besides a large circle of friends to mourn her loss, her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Caroline Reynolds of Danvers and Miss Helen Sweeney, who resides in Ireland.

CATTLE SHIPMENT

How Those Sent Via Portsmouth
Are Kept in Good Shape

It is remarkable how things have changed in the railroad transportation of live stock, when one goes back to the system of moving cattle a dozen years ago.

A Herald reporter recently met one of the caretakers of a shipment of cattle passing through this city from Chicago to Portland, who brought up the subject of caring for the animals while they are being moved over the different railroads and informed the Herald man that no excuse can be offered now for neglect in looking after the cattle.

"The law," said he, "requires a caretaker with every 125 head of cattle whose duty it shall be to feed, water and walk the animals every twenty-four hours when on a long journey to their destination. The law is strict and men employed to enforce it see that it is carried out to the letter."

ELKS ENTERTAIN
DOCKSTADER MEN

Portsmouth Lodge of Elks did the honors on Thursday evening when they entertained the members of the Dockstader's minstrel troupe at their rooms on Pleasant street.

The visit of Lew and his band of entertainers to the club quarters was the first time has taken place since the lodge went into its own home. The members of the company gave a program of rare merit to another full house of Elks, who are they will long remember the occasion.

The Portsmouth lodge on the other hand furnished much pleasure to the big company up to a late hour, when the ladies were largely to the list of events well carried out.

THE NAVY YARDS
HERE AND AWAY

Marines Have a Dance

The marines from the barracks conducted a very pleasant dancing party at Kittery on Thursday evening where a large number from the

Emerson Pianos

Are chiefly distinguished by their rich musical tone, perfect action and remarkable wearing qualities. Those who have owned and used these excellent pianos for years will endorse this statement.

Isn't that the kind of Piano you want?

In this connection let us call your attention to a remarkably artistic style Emerson which has just arrived from the factory. Ask to see Style 23

at

H. P. Montgomery's

6 Pleasant Street

Opp. Postoffice

IS ROOSEVELT'S NAVAL
COMMISSION ILLEGAL?Senators Say Civilians Are Not Eligible
to Serve on Such a Board

New York, Jan. 29.—The World today prints the following dispatch from Washington:

The Senate committee on naval affairs will draw first blood in the dual investigation of the navy. It will begin Friday while the President's special commission will not become active for several days.

The Senate committee will take up the investigation in connection with the naval appropriation bill. The resolution on which the inquiry is based calls for information as to whether money is wasted in navy yards and whether better business methods could be employed. It is planned to first call Secretary Newberry.

There is no conflict of inquiries. The one to be prosecuted by the

Senate committee merely relates to a magazine article declaring that out of \$122,000,000 appropriated for navy yards during the past ten years more than forty percent was wasted. The President's investigation is as to the best plan of reorganizing the navy. Members declare that the President has violated the law passed two years ago forbidding any civilian to serve on a commission to investigate the army and navy, and that any report submitted by the commission will be useless.

In view of the overwhelming vote in the House, Chairman Hale will not antagonize the two battleships authorized by the bill, but the proposed addition of two battleships, making four in all, will be vigorously opposed.

yard enjoyed the affair until midnight.

Will Hurry the Work

It is given out that under the orders consolidating the several departments an extra effort will be made to rush and complete the work on the tug Patapsco in the dry dock.

Will be the Same

Under the new order of consolidation the ratings of the men employed at the yard and the present rates of pay will remain the same.

They Talked It Over

Naval Constructor John G. Tawres, soon to become the business manager of the yard, met the foremen of his department today in conference when the coming changes were fully discussed.

One Hundred and Fifty-Nine Men
The naval prison now contains 159 prisoners with a guard of 125 men.

They Were a Little Late

Police Officers Hurley and Burke brought five of the crew to the Paducah today who took a chance to extend their liberty privilege.

Released Today

Five prisoners were discharged from the naval prison today on the expiration of their sentence.

Giving Out the New Kicks

The new regulation marching shoe adopted for use in the marine corps was issued today to the guard at the ship.

They Can Do It

It is whispered that the marine guard are due for another hike, perhaps some day next week.

Going to Get Together

Secretary Newberry, in his orders of consolidation, directs that all clerks and draftsmen as far as practicable be concentrated in one building in order that the work be made uniform.

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CAPT. ALBERT RAND

Old Time Piscataqua River Pilot
Dead At Home in Boston

The death of Capt. Albert Rand of Dorchester, formerly of this city, removes another of the old-time river pilots of the Piscataqua.

For many years he was in charge of the famous and only river tug, Clara Bateman, the bulk of which now lies at the bottom of the river off Noble's Island.

Captain Rand was known to the men in shipping circles as an expert navigator and his record, covering many years on this river and harbor, was marked with success in every way. He was one of the city's foremost citizens and a man who was liked and respected by every acquaintance in Portsmouth, where a large circle of friends now mourn his death.

Captain Rand is survived by his wife and two sons, Philip Rand of Providence and Howard Rand of Boston.

AN ARCANUM VISITATION

The degree team of Major Waldron Council, Royal Arcanum, of Dover has accepted an invitation from Alpha Council of Portsmouth to come to this city Wednesday evening, Feb. 3, and exemplify the work of the order. The trip will be made by special trolley car, which will leave Franklin square at 7 o'clock.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE
LEGISLATURE

The Portsmouth delegation to the legislature are requested to meet at the City Council chamber on Friday evening at eight o'clock for the purpose of organization.

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NOTICE

Constitution Circle, C. of F. of A. will conduct a whist party at Eagles' Hall on Market street on Tuesday evening, Feb. 2. Prizes and refreshments. Tickets 25 cents.

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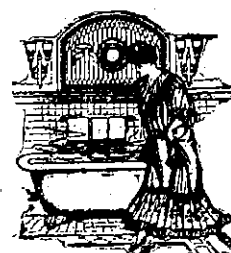
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